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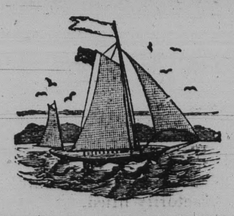
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And ready for the passing instant's boon
To tip in favor the uncertain beam.
Ah, happy he who, knowing how to wait,
Knows also how to watch and work and stand
On life's broad deck alert, and at the prow
To seize the passing moment, big with fate,
From opportunity's extended hand,
When the great clock of destiny strikes now!
—Mary A. Townsend.

"THE PARISIAN."

In the regiment he was certainly not a favorite with the officers, but he always managed to get along very well with his fellow soldiers, for he was so lively and had such a fund of ready wit. He had scarcely had any education, as he was apprenticed at a very early age, but he had read a great deal—everything, in fact, that he had been able to get hold of—novels, newspapers, books of travel and adventure, all kinds and sorts of literature, and as he had an excellent memory he was certainly capital company.

Then, too, he could sing fairly well, he recited like a born actor, and he was always up to the most irresistible nonsense, so that he was the very life and soul of the regiment. He had been nicknamed by his fellow soldiers, on account of his liveliness and wit, "the Parisian," and no one ever thought of calling him by any other name. As far as discipline was concerned, he was a very second rate sort of soldier, for nothing had ever been able to persuade him that he owed implicit and passive obedience to the officers, of no matter what rank they might be.

On the other hand, he kept his uniform and his arms in the most immaculate state of cleanliness, he was a first class shot and could march any distance. When it was announced in his regiment that volunteers were wanted for Tonquin, he enrolled himself without a moment's hesitation, for, as he said, he had always wanted to have a look around in other countries. On board the Mytho, the vessel which transported the troops, he very soon made himself quite at home.

In the first place, he managed to get himself employed down in the kitchen, and in a very short time was the favorite of the head cook.

Then, when he was off duty, he would install himself comfortably in the forecastle, and, while smoking cigarettes made with tobacco contributed by the sailors, he would entertain his audience by reciting monologues and by imitating the Parisian street cries of the various hawkers.

He was wonderfully clever, too, at imitating people and animals, and he had baptized everything and every one on board with the drollest of names of his own invention, so that even the officer leaning over the bridge during the watch would often roar with laughter at the absurd nonsense going on down below.

For six months the Parisian had been incorporated in one of the companies of a marching regiment, and there had been some hard fighting several times, but so far, as he himself said, "he had kept his skin whole," and, what was more extraordinary, he had escaped all fevers and illness of every kind. He was just as lively as when in France, and many a time his gayety had put new courage into some of the younger soldiers.

His superiors appreciated his bravery and sang froid when under fire and the happy way he had of making the best of all kinds of privations and fatigue.

"He's a fine soldier," remarked his lieutenant one day to the captain, but the latter, who had noticed his tendency to insubordination, answered:

"Yes, a fine soldier during the campaign, but a bad one in the barracks—a headstrong fellow to deal with."

A little later on a detachment of the regiment was told off to occupy an isolated point of observation near the banks of the Song-Cau. For some time the country round had appeared quite calm and peaceful, and, as the guards were on duty as sentinels, the soldiers had for the time being neither fatigue nor privations to endure.

In order that their inaction should not have a demoralizing effect on the men, the officer in command saw fit to occupy them in various ways, such as digging trenches, collecting fagots and all kinds of details connected with their temporary encampment. One afternoon a section of the troop was engaged in clearing out the quarters, under the direction of Sergeant Butin.

The Parisian had never been able to reconcile himself to handling the pick-ax, and generally he passed his time in looking on while his comrades did the work, and as he always kept them entertained with his jokes and nonsense neither the men nor the subofficer in command had ever made any difficulty about this. As it happened, though, on the afternoon in question Sergeant Butin was in a very bad humor, for he had that morning been hauled over the coals himself by his superior officer.

On seeing the Parisian, therefore, seated on the ground making a cigarette, he called out to him roughly to take his place and work as the others were doing.

"Oh, they'll get through it without me," he urged.

"Take your place," said the sergeant roughly.

"But, sergeant, I assure you my trade is in metal work, and I don't know how to go about turning the soil over."

The sergeant was furious, and seizing the soldier by his arm thundered out:

"Enough of your foolery, and you can take a day's prison for a change."

With one bound the Parisian was on his feet and had shaken himself free from the sergeant. He was livid with indignation, and there was no sign of joking about him now. He stepped up close to the subofficer, and looking him straight in the face said simply, but in a hoarse voice:

"Never lay your finger on me again, or—look out for yourself!"

The sergeant, exasperated, laid hold of him again, shouting:

"To prison with you, and we'll see"—

He did not finish his sentence, for the Parisian raised his hand and dealt him a blow on the cheek, and while the sergeant stood there as though rooted to the spot, wild with rage and stuttering out threats of vengeance, the soldier, without even throwing away his cigarette, moved away slowly toward his comrades, murmuring in a low voice:

"I knew it would come to that sooner or later."

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The Parisian was imprisoned while waiting his trial by court martial. The captain, on hearing of what serious misdemeanor he had been guilty, judged it necessary to make an example of him, and so he was sentenced to await in prison the day of his trial at Hanoi.

He made the best of his situation, and when he answered the questions which were put to him by the officer who had been appointed to make the preliminary inquiries about the affair he appeared to be quite resigned to whatever fate might be awaiting him.

It happened to be the lieutenant in command of the section to which the Parisian belonged, and, though he was sorry in his heart for the culprit, the officer knew that military discipline had to be maintained, particularly during a campaign.

One night toward 10 o'clock firing was heard in the distance, and almost at the same moment the sentinels gave the alarm to the little troop. Then, all at once, a fierce, deafening volley of firing was heard, and fearful shouts and yelling seemed to come from all sides at once.

In a few seconds every man of the little company was on foot, and, with his gun placed in the gap of the bamboo palings, was firing recklessly on the enemy, who had surrounded the fort. At the very first shot the Parisian, knowing that under present circumstances no one would trouble about him, escaped from his prison, rushed for a gun and cartridges and, mounting the slope, began to fire with all his energy.

His lieutenant in passing by recognized him and said:

"That's right, my good fellow. Get wounded, and I'll answer for your other affair."

"I'm sure to, lieutenant," answered the trooper, smiling bitterly, and then, without troubling himself about the balls which fell around him thick and fast, the Parisian continued shooting. It was very evident that his one desire was to meet his death there rather than to be shot dead by his comrades by order of the court-martial.

After an hour's desperate firing the assailants, numerous though they were, gave up their attempt to take the post and beat a retreat in all directions. The captain, wishing to teach them a lesson, went out in pursuit of them with part of his troop, and, following them up across the ricefields, caused them a considerable loss of men.

Then, on seeing that he was himself some 500 yards outside the fort and fearing to have his retreat cut off, he gave the order to return. On arriving within their own fortifications and after having the gate closed securely, he kept his men in their ranks.

"Sergeant Butin," he said, "call over the names."

The sergeant did not appear in answer to his chief's command, and a shudder of horror ran through the little troop. If he were still out on the plain! * * * The enemy never had mercy, and prisoners and wounded would have to endure a long and cruel martyrdom before death released them. * * * The soldiers disbanded, and search was made everywhere within the camp, and then a little band of men went round outside the fortifications.

It was all in vain. Sergeant Butin had not returned with the others, and soldiers and officers all hoped that, at any rate, he had been killed outright—shot through the heart by a ball.

"Poor fellow," they said to each other as they were moving toward their quarters for the night.

Just at this moment a loud shout was heard outside.

The sentinel raised his gun and called out, "Qui vive?"

"Open the gate!" replied the voice of some one gasping for breath. "Quick! Quick! It is Sergeant Butin!"

The soldiers rushed to the gate and flung it wide open, and then, dark though the night was, they could distinguish the form of a man almost bent double, carrying on his back a soldier on whose sleeves the gold lace glittered.

No sooner had he passed through the gate than he staggered and fell. The soldiers crowded round, and by the flickering light of a lantern they recognized the Parisian. He was deadly pale and covered with blood. One hand was pressed tightly to his side, and with the other he still grasped the sergeant's arm.

"You!" exclaimed the captain on recognizing him. "Who let you out of your prison?"

"I let myself out, captain," answered the Parisian in a weak, broken voice. "I should have gone back when the shooting was over. I found the sergeant out there on the plain—he was wounded in the leg—and I wanted to get him back. I've managed it, but—I've got a bullet in my side. I don't think I shall go—to Hanoi—captain. It's better, though—than—having—12 French bullets through my skin. There—goodby—all of you"— And with these words he expired.—From the French of Paul d'Argency in Strand.

A man will die for want of air in five minutes, for want of sleep in ten days, for want of water in a week and for want of food at varying periods, dependent on circumstances.

BLOOD WON.

Fair Anna Was a Deacon's Niece, but She Enjoyed the Race.

One of these men who came in from the country and has climbed from the bottom of the ladder to the top likes to tell a story on his wife, whose second beauty is crowned by a mass of silken hair as white as cotton.

"We both lived on a farm then," he says. "Anna was an orphan and brought up by a strict old uncle, who was a deacon. She was pretty and bright, but so prim and straitlaced that she would sanction nothing to which the deacon himself objected, and no old Covenanter ever drew the lines more closely than he did.

"Next to Anna my affections were centered on a colt that was good to look at and developed a wonderful speed and gameness that spoke of aristocratic descent. I told this to no one but Anna, and it was with great difficulty that I induced her to ride one Sunday with me to a camp meeting behind a real trotter.

"Going to the meeting I regulated the colt's pace to suit the day and the occasion, and he was as sedate as the deacon himself. The only girl of the neighborhood who pretended to rival Anna in beauty was there with a young fellow who prided himself on having the fastest horses in the county. Toward sundown she told Anna that we had better start home early. They would require much less time and would probably pass us on the way. That made me mad and I thought I detected an unwonted fire in her eyes. We were jogging homeward as decorously as we had gone, talking solemnly as we should, when there was a rush past us, a cloud of dust and a mocking laugh that bade us 'goodby.' My colt was prancing and pulling like a tugboat. I was bound to please my girl, grinding as it was.

"'Let 'er go!' came between her red lips and white set teeth just as a girl of the period would say 'Let 'er go, Gallagher.'

"That was enough. Fences and trees flew the other way. Blood told, and the colt seemed on wings. When we were nose and nose, Anna was so excited that she wanted to take the reins for fear I couldn't win the Sunday race. But the gallant colt shot us through ahead. It wasn't long till Anna wore a little jewelry and tolerated cards to the extent of playing 'old maid.'"—St. Louis Republic.

WINDFALLS FOR GAMINS.

Two Lavish Gifts Bestowed on a Pair of Bright Boys.

Quite recently the pretty wife of a prosperous manufacturer was looking into a confectioner's window when a barefooted lad of about 10 coolly walked up to her and placed his rugged arm through hers.

"Excoose this liberty, mum," he said, with comical ceremony, "but I ain't got a mother o' my own, an I feels lonely. Will ye kiss me?"

For a moment the lady was too astonished to speak, but the sight of the dirty face turned so audaciously up to hers drove away her indignation. Much to the amusement of the passers-by she kissed the lad soundly, asked him where he lived and dismissed him with a few coppers. But that was not the end of the little incident, for some weeks after the boy was hunted up by the lady's husband and presented with £100—"payment for the kiss taken in front of the confectioner's window," the lady said.

A good natured gentleman who is very stout, and on that account does not care to stoop, once dropped his brier pipe in the middle of a busy street. The pipe was a great favorite of his, but he dared not run the risk of bending down, and after gazing regretfully at his fallen treasure he decided to abandon it. Before he could do so, however, a little street arab saw his plight, and, running forward, picked up the pipe and restored it to him.

The gentleman stared at the boy without speaking for awhile, and then pulled a handful of gold out of his pocket.

"Take this, kiddie, and be careful how you spend it," he said. "Mind also that whatever you do with it you are not to spend it on butter scotch, for that's the stuff that made me fat."

He then walked away, leaving the astonished urchin in possession of a windfall amounting to over £30.—London Telegraph.

Altogether Too Wise.

The engaged girl was thoroughly modern in her ideas, while the girl who was not engaged was given to old fashioned romanticism.

"Tell me all about it," said the girl who was not engaged.

"Oh, there isn't much to tell," answered the engaged girl. "I suppose the method of procedure is about the same in all cases."

"I presume," said the girl who was not engaged dreamily, "that he looked soulfully into your eyes and asked you if you loved him?"

"Not a bit of it," returned the engaged girl quickly. "He was altogether too wise to ask any such question as that. He merely asked me if I'd marry him."—Chicago Post.

His Choice.

An Irishman in France was challenged by a Frenchman to fight a duel, to which he readily consented, and suggested shillalahs.

"That won't do," said the second. "As the challenged party you have the right to choose the arms, but chivalry demands that you should decide upon a weapon with which Frenchmen are familiar."

"Is that so?" returned the Irishman. "Then, begorra, we'll foight wid guillotines."—London Tit-Bits.

It is said by philologists that there are 13 original European languages—the Greek, Latin, German, Slavonic, Welsh, Biscayan, Irish, Albanian, Tartarian, Illyrian, Jazygian, Chaucin and Finnic.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Coming to Sonoma.

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Sonoma, August 26, 1897.

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INDEX-TRIBUNE

SONOMA, SEPTEMBER 4, 1897.

H. H. GRANICE - - - - - - - - - - - - EDITOR

THAT the agitation of town improvements that has been kept up in these columns the past fourteen years is bearing fruit no better evidence is wanting than the formation this week of a joint stock company to furnish Sonoma with electric light. The subscribers to the stock are all local business men and what they undertake to do they will carry through with success.

C. F. LEIDING of Oakland was in town several days this week. Mr. Leiding, although a non-resident, is one of the heaviest tax-payers in Sonoma, and he takes a lively interest in the town going ahead and improving. He is a strong advocate of a municipal ownership of water works and expresses himself as confident of the proposition carrying when it shall have been submitted to the people, nor is the gentleman alone in his advocacy of a city water system. Four-fifths of the property-owners of Sonoma are with him on the proposition and when it comes to a vote it will be four to one, just as it is in the Board of City Trustees.

WILLIAM CORNELIUS GOFORTH, otherwise known as "Tennessee Bill," died at Marysville one day this week. Bill, of whose antecedents little is known, was a wandering, drunken vagabond who claimed to be a cousin of Secretary of State Walter Q. Gresham. The man during the past twenty-five years has periodically made his appearance in almost every city, town and hamlet in the State and it was his proud boast that he had visited every printing office and lodged in every jail in Northern California. Poor old Bill! To be sure he was a worthless fellow in the eyes of a cold, unsympathetic world, but for all that there was something about the man that obtained for him a sort of recognition among the editors and printers of the interior, and he always spoke of them as being his friends.

IT has come to a pretty pass when the INDEX-TRIBUNE cannot defend honest and upright men from a scurrilous newspaper attack without being indirectly accused of selling its editorial utterances. The following squib from the Petaluma *Courier* calls forth the above remarks:

> "The Sonoma Index-Tribune has a very interesting article about the Courier which is correct except as to facts, and is readable except as to language. The editor should not run ads in his editorial columns."

The article to which the editor of the *Courier* refers was not inspired, neither was it paid for, by the parties who caused his arrest on a charge of criminal libel. It embraced the utterances of the editor of this newspaper and was simply a rebuke to a number of self-styled editors that we know of, who are bringing the newspaper business into disrepute, owing to their ignorance on the one side and viciousness on the other. The INDEX-TRIBUNE favors fair play and does not believe in attacking, behind a masked battery of insinuations and inuendoes the reputations of decent citizens, just because they happen to differ with it on matters of public interest. It is true that in the past, and it may occur again in the future, that these columns have had occasion to review the acts of public servants in uncomplimentary terms, but in doing so the INDEX-TRIBUNE has not crept behind insinuations. What it has to say it first makes sure it is right and then goes ahead and comes out boldly and says it, and what is more it is written so plain that there is no chance to show the white feather by saying that the article was "misconstrued."

An Outside Opinion.

The Sonoma Index-Tribune says the agitators for an improvement club in that city have mistaken the appellation. They mean a non-improvement club, judging from their opposition to a municipal water works system and other town improvements. Editor Granice forgets that he is living in a glorious region dominated by silurians. Other people have known this for years, and hence the city in the Valley of the Moon does not grow as it should.—*Healdsburg Enterprize.*

GLEN ELLEN ITEMS.

Judge and Mrs. Gibson were in Santa Rosa Tuesday and attended the circus.

Mrs. E. R. Allen left here on Saturday last to join her husband at his new station at Crow's Landing, Stanislaus county.

J. Chauvet is having the cottage formerly occupied by Johnny Wilson painted and otherwise put in ship-shape for occupancy.

Mr. E. H. Richardson has taken the place of A. T. Gee, as Wells, Fargo & Co's messenger on the San Francisco & North Pacific Railway.

Mr. A. C. Schlessinger and family, who have occupied Fred. Clark's cottage in Graham Canyon the past summer, returned to their Oakland home last Monday.

A social dance will be given Saturday evening, September 4th, at the Mervyn Hall. It promises to be equally enjoyable as the last one and music will be furnished by the Glen Ellen Orchestra.

Col. Harrison has received word from Mrs. Harrison and party, who are camping in the redwoods above Guerneville. They are having an enjoyable outing and Mrs. Liebert caught eighty-five trout the first day.

The Clawson brothers, Charles, Hardin and John, started for Trinity county early last Sunday morning. They will make the entire trip by team and expect to do some prospecting the coming winter.

A promising colt, the property of A. Harrison of the Mervyn Hotel, was lacerated the other day by coming in violent contact with a barbed wire fence. The animal's injuries were successfuly treated by Mr. W. H. Boyes.

The clarion blast of the stalker's horn, blended with the sonorous baying of the hounds and the stuccato music of the Winchester repeater formed a fitting accompaniment to the feelings of the party of gentlemen who on sporting bent have been skirmishing among the hills in this vicinity the past ten days. The party consists of Messrs. Carl Dresel, Fred Kerridge, Jim Pieratt, Fred. and Chas. Weise and Emmet M. Bagley of the Southern Pacific office, San Francisco. Scarcely could a European preserve have afforded better sport and the outing, if only on that account, will long be remembered by those who participated in it. Many a noble buck has lent his symmetrical picture to the landscape for the last time, nothing, indeed, being left of him save the memory of his capture and a savory recollection. While on the Kohler tract the camp was visited by a party of ladies from the Mervyn Hotel, who were piloted by the genial Col. Harrison. Many were the interrogations and exclamations of delight at so novel a scene and brawny "warriors" were beseiged for reminiscences, which were entertaingly recited and graciously received. The visitors were invited to partake of "pot lunch," but perceiving at once the dilemma the hosts would have placed themselves in by an affirmative reply, there being but half a dozen tin plates and a like number of cups in camp, the party withdrew with many expressions of good will. Some few days later a fine quarter of venison was presented to the Mervyn Hotel and it is needless to add that full justice was done to the seasonable gift.

ENTERPRISE.

Glen Ellen, September 3, 1897.

Transfer of Property.

Mrs. Clara L. Maxwell has transferred to her daughter, Miss Amy Maxwell, all her land on Sonoma and Agua Caliente creeks; also, all property real and personal wherever situated. The consideration named in the deed, which was recorded Thursday, is $10.

County Gleanings.

The Petaluma Yellow Kids had a "dead easy game" with the Sebastopol baseball team last Sunday. The score stood twenty-two to eight in favor of the "Kids."

The residence of Jas. Cunningham near Sebastopol was entered by thieves on Monday night and thirteen dollars and a silver watch stolen.

Ramona.

Of all the rooming houses in San Francisco there are none quite so nice and desirable in every respect as Hotel Ramona, 130 Ellis street. It is new and naturally modern. It has an electric elevator running day and night from the street floor; hot and cold water and electric call bells in all rooms; a lady, Mrs. Kate S. Hart, in charge as manager, which is a guarantee of the irreproachable character of the house; a location (adjoining the Y. M. C. A. building) that is convenient to everywhere. You will find the Ramona just the house you're looking for if on a long or short stay in the city.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

DEPARTMENT ONE—DOUGHERTY, J.

PROBATE.

Estate of David Day—Continued to September 7th.

Estate of Coleman Talbot—Continued to September 7th.

Estate of Julius Bizzini—Homestead set apart for widow.

Estate of William Benitz—Petition of T. G. Young dismissed. Continued to September 7th.

Estate of Margaret Trinque—Continued to September 7th.

Estate of John B. Smith—Continued to September 7th.

Estate of Harriet Wiley—Proceedings to determine hairship continued to September 7th.

Estate and guardianship of Harry W. Madison, minor—N. W. Cummings appointed guardian. Bond $1,350.

Estate of Henry Lentz—Continued.

Estate of Wm. Bihler—Contest of will continued to September 20th by stipulation.

Estate of John Walker—Contest submitted and taken under advisement.

CIVIL.

In re. G. W. Libby, insolvent—Personal property set aside.

J. W. Miller vs. J. S. Saunders—Default of J. S. Saunders; continued to September 13th.

DEPARTMENT TWO—BURNETT, J.

Wesley Mock vs. City of Santa Rosa—Continued to September 20th.

F. W. Bean vs. Henry Joost et al.—Continued to September 7th.

Anna Marti Anderson vs. Elizabeth J. Marti, as executrix—Decision filed; demurrer overruled; 10 days to answer.

CRIMINAL.

People vs. Joe Sullivan—Motion for a new trial denied and sentenced to four years imprisonment at San Quentin.

People vs. John Smith—Plead guilty of simple assault. Judgment, $100 fine or 50 days in county jail.

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As we go to press (Friday morning) it is still cloudy with indications of more rain.

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Notice for Publication.

Land Office at San Francisco, Calif., August 26, 1897.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Napa county, at his office in Napa, Calif., on Saturday, Oct. 30, 1897, viz: Max O. AROLDT, H. E. No. 9801, for the S. W. ¼ of N. E. ¼ and N. W. ¼ of S. E. ¼ Sec. 15, T. 6 N., R. 5 W., M. D. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: W. H. Schmeidt, Henry Miller, M. Bughelli and C. Rothe all of Napa, Napa county, Calif.

JOHN P. DUNN, Register.

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—ON—

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4th 1897.

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Windsor	1.50	Watriss, Madrone	1.25
Grant, Healdsburg	1.75	Eldridge, Glen Ellen	1.25
Chiquita, Lytton	1.75	Kenilworth, Sebastopol	1.50
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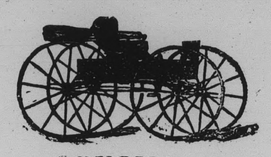

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

FIRE.

Total Destruction of the Nicolini Bros' Barn.

At ten o'clock on Tuesday morning last a barn, situated on the Nicolini ranch five miles northwest of town, together with its contents, was completely destroyed by fire, and the residence, situated hard by, had a narrow escape from going up in flames too. The fire brought to Ben Nicolini's aid several workmen on the Goldstein place and by great exertions the residence was saved, although the roof was ablaze several times. One mule, two go-carts, a farm wagon, several sets of harness, a number of plows and other agricultural implements and a quantity of hay were consumed. There was an insurance on the house and barn of $1000 in the National Insurance Company of Hartford. The origin of the fire is unknown.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

Wm. Collins of Lakeville Nearly Killed.

Wm. Collins of Lakeville, brother-in-law of Johnny Mallon, the well-known caterer of Embarcadero, met with a serious if not fatal accident on Monday last. He was returning to the former place from the Mallon ranch with a load of hay and while descending a hill the brake gave away. This caused the horses to run away and the wagon was overturned. Mr. Collins was thrown out and fell beneath the heavy wagon. One of his hips was badly crushed and he received internal injuries which may prove fatal, although Dr. Anderson of Petaluma, who is treating the injured man, has hopes of pulling him through. At the present time he is confined to his bed, being unable to move hand or foot, and is in a very precarious condition.

A Big Buck.

Carl Dresel, the well-known viticulturist and who is likewise noted as one of our most successful nimrods, killed a magnificent buck in the mountains about four miles west of Sonoma on Sunday last. He was a five-pointer and weighed 155½ pounds. This is the largest deer that has been killed in Sonoma Valley for many years. Mr. Dresel's companions on the hunt were Jim Pieratt and Charley Weise, both of whom have killed so far this season more than their share of the wary and fleet-footed animals.

Novel Encounter.

A number of residents of Glen Ellen have arranged an encounter, to take place next Sunday between a rattlesnake and a kingsnake. The rattler is over three feet in length and the kingsnake is equally as large. The venomous reptiles were recently captured near that place. The former boasts seven rattles and a button.

Heavy Wine Shipment.

Geo. Engler has been shipping a large quantity of red and white wine to San Francisco, *via* El Verano, the past week. The wine was consigned to Lachman & Jacoby.

Highest Market Price Paid for Dried Fruit.

Parties having dried fruit for sale will consult their interest by calling on John Batto & Son., Vineyard Station, Sonoma county, Cal. P. O. address, Sonoma. *

ELECTRIC LIGHT.

A Joint Stock Company Being Formed to Erect a Plant in Sonoma.

A joint stock company composed of the leading business men and property-owners of Sonoma is being formed to supply the town with electric light. Two-thirds of the capital stock was subscribed yesterday inside of an hour and the other third will be forthcoming to-day. The object of the company will be to supply the business and residence portion of Sonoma with electric lights at as small a cost as possible.

In respect to water and light Sonoma has been way behind the times for many years and there is not another town of its size and importance in the State that has not an electric lighting plant and a better water system. That our people will be enjoying the convenience of the former in the course of a few months is an assured fact. There will be a municipal water service, too, in the near future. All that is necessary is for our City Trustees to call an election to vote on the proposition. The people of Sonoma will do the rest.

The Marti Will Contest.

The demurrer of Mrs. Elizabeth Marti to the complaint of Anna Anderson was overruled by Judge Burnett last Monday, and Mrs. Marti was allowed ten days to answer. When the late M. Marti, a prominent dairyman of this valley, died he left a valuable estate to his widow, who did more than her share toward accumulating it during the thirty years of the married life of deceased and his faithful widow. Everybody who knew the couple intimately realized that she was simply getting what was her own. This was the way it looked to most people, if we except the lawyers and law-makers. Mrs. Anderson, who wants a share of the estate, is a sister of the deceased dairyman. In the contest the widow's interests are being looked after by lawyer John S. Enos.

Baseball.

The game of baseball between the Petaluma Clippers and the Buena Vista's was not played last Sunday, as the Petaluma team was unable to keep the appointment. The people were treated, however, to another contest between the Schellville's and Buena Vista's which resulted in a walk-over for the former team, the score standing at the end of seven innings 7 to 17. Following are the runs by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Schellville's	3	6	1	1	0	1	5	—17
Buena Vista's	0	0	4	0	0	3	0	— 7

Excursion to the Mechanics' Fair.

The excursion of the S. F. & N. P. Railway to the Mechanics' Fair on Saturday, September 4th, will enable every one in this valley to visit San Francisco, take in the Fair and return on Monday for $1 from Sonoma and all points south, and $1.25 from Verano, Agua Caliente, Eldridge and Glen Ellen. The Fair this season is said to be unusually attractive and is being largely attended daily.

Judgment for Plaintiffs.

The civil suit of Bush & Mallet vs. Nordin, action to recover $135 for goods sold and delivered, was decided by Judge Cheney last Wednesday in favor of plaintiffs. The Judge held that Dr. Nordin and not his wife was responsible for the bill. As the doctor, who is now residing in San Francisco, has no property in sight the judgment held by plaintiffs against him is not worth the paper it is written upon.

Foreclosure Suit.

A mechanics' lien foreclosure suit has been instituted in the Superior Court of this county by Israel E. Rickey against the estate of T. L. Schell, Georgiana L. Schell as executrix of the estate, as an individual, and various other heirs. The plaintiff made repairs to the extent of $2465 on the property of the estate near Schellville, and is unable to get his pay therefor.

Returned from Trinity Disgusted

Walter Murphy and Gus Cornelius, who left in a two-horse rig for the Trinity gold mines two weeks ago, have returned to Sonoma thoroughly disgusted. Before reaching the Coffee Creek district, which was reported to be "lousy" with gold, they became convinced that a fortune could not be picked up in a day and decided to retrace their steps before grub gave out.

THE "RUSH" AT THE STATE UNIVERSITY.

"Sophs" Tackle a Sonoma Youth and He Lays Five of Them Out.

The much-talked-of "rush" on the campus of the the State University, Berkeley, took place last Monday night and to say the least it was brutal in the extreme. One student received injuries which, if they do not prove fatal, will disfigure him for life. Several had legs broken and scores were more or less injured internally. Among the latter being young Carl Bondschu, son of Chas. Bondschu of Rhinefarm Vineyards, near this place. During the "rush" five Sophomores tackled Deme Gordenker, a Freshman from this place and a graduate of our High School. They endeavored to overpower him, throw him down and tie him. They tackled the wrong man, however, and in a few minutes young Gordenker, with sledge-hammer blows, laid out the entire five and showed what a boy could do who had chopped wood to secure an education. Young Frido Clewe was also roughly handled, but aside from a few abrasions came out of the conflict unscathed.

City Trustees.

A regular meeting of the City Trustees was held last Wednesday evening, only three of the five Trustees being present, to wit: Messrs. Hartin, Modini and Poppe.

President Seipp being absent, Trustee Poppe took the chair, after which the usual monthly bills were allowed, if we except one for $14 presented by the INDEX-TRIBUNE. This bill was declared rejected by the acting President, who who voted no against its passage declined to affix his signature to it after it had been passed by the Trustees. Acting President Poppe took advantage of his brief authority to show his animus toward the INDEX-TRIBUNE because it cannot be run in the interest of his particular crowd. The bill, however, will be paid at the next regular meeting.

The following are the bills allowed:

G. S. Harris, street sprinkling	$ 51.00
Wm. Green, lumber	.96
J. B. Small, labor	.50
D. Valente, cleaning fire apparatus	10.25
J. E. Robin, salary	15.50
C. Aguillon, water	20.00
J. Fochetti, iron	1.00
F. Clerici, rebate on license	5.00
Total	$104.71

The Marshal presented a report showing the amount of money collected from Street Poll taxes and the names of those delinquent. The report was received and placed on file.

Bids for grading Second-street East were opened as follows: John Stademan, $75; L. Breitenbach, $128.20. The contract was awarded to John Stademan, his bid being the lowest and best and he was ordered to file a bond in the sum of $75 for the faithful performance of the work.

Clerk Poppe reported verbally as to the law governing the repairing of streets, sidewalks and curbs, and action in regard to the proposition of the Sonoma Valley Bank for the putting in of stone curbing in front of the bank premises was deferred until the next meeting.

After listening to complaints from Messrs. Engler, McDonald, Keil, Laux and Ciucci about the open ditches running through town and other matters the meeting adjourned.

Settled in Full.

The judgment of $100.20 and costs, amounting to $16.55, rendered by Judge Cheney last week in favor of Otto Rufus and against A. T. Lewis has been paid in full by Mr. Lewis to Mr. Rufus. There was no compromise and there will be no appeal. Senator John S. Enos was the attorney on the winning side.

Dog Poisoner Abroad.

"Billy," an intelligent fox-terrior owned by Peter Keil, was poisoned on Saturday evening last. Any one, in our opinion, who would poison a dumb brute would not hesitate to poison a human being. The iron hand of the law is all that restrains the dog-poisoner from committing the latter crime.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

And Other Matters of Interest to the General Reader.

[Contributed by Marjorie Dow.]

Items of a personal and social nature are thankfully received at this office and will be edited by Marjorie Dow.

B. P. Norris had business in the metropolis last Saturday.

Sheriff Sam Allen was in town on official business last Saturday.

Fred. Meyer of San Francisco is visiting relatives in this valley.

Bert Jones will enter the bicycle races in Santa Rosa next Thursday.

Mrs. Atwood visited San Francisco friends several days the past week.

Mrs. J. V. Miner of Glen Ellen visited the metropolis several days this week.

Dr. Walliser has postponed his bicycle trip to the Geysers until September 9th.

Garrett Hyatt, formerly of Fair's race track near this place, has gone to Trinity county.

The Misses Connor of Petaluma were guests of Sonoma Valley relatives last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Schocken returned from a brief visit to San Francisco last Tuesday night.

Mrs. Harper of Glen Ellen spent the day last Sunday with her daughter Mrs. J. Phillips near Sonoma.

I. D. Bluxome, visited the county seat last Tuesday. Mr. Bluxome is the pleasant foreman of the Spreckels ranch,

Henry Castagnassio, Sonoma's popular vegetable raiser, had business in San Francisco last Wednesday.

T. B. Wilson of Cloverdale has finished painting and papering the Judge Barham residence near the above place,

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Leutholtz, formerly of this place but now of San Rafael, were visitors to Sonoma last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dresel entertained Messrs. Sims and Goodwin at their commodious residence, two miles east of Sonoma, last Sunday evening.

A fine corner residence, located on Broadway, one of the fashionable thoroughfares of Sonoma, can be rented reasonably by applying at this office.

A. T. Lewis, manager of the Nick Carriger ranch, has resigned his position and with his family will leave next Wednesday for Seattle, Washington.

Elmer Rowell is the new teacher at Locust Grove School. Mr. Rowell has taken the place recently held by G. D. Kieruff.

A large number of delegates from this county will attend the Association of Congregational Ministers, which convenes in Sonoma next Tuesday and Wednesday.

A large number of Sonoma Valley people will spend the 9th of September (next Thursday) in Santa Rosa, where the Native Sons will celebrate the day.

Mrs. D. Duhring and her daughter Miss Agnes Duhring returned to Sonoma last Saturday evening after a visit of several weeks with friends in Seattle, Washington.

Harry Allen of Santa Rosa has made a record for himself as a prune-picker. Although only seven years of age he has picked on an average a ton of the fruit every day the past week in J. Roberts orchard near that city.

Among the social organizations of Sonoma the Cotillion Club holds a prominent place. At their dancing parties is gathered the youth, beauty and chivalry of Sonoma, Santa Rosa and San Francisco. The third party of this season will take place next Friday evening, when Miss Elsie Appleton and Will Clewe will lead.

Mrs. Millie Bates, Sonoma's obliging and efficient Postmistress, has returned from a several week's sojourn with relatives at Santa Cruz, whither she went in search of health. We are pleased to state that she is feeling better now than she has for several months. During her absence Mrs. Henry Bates, her assistant, has conducted the office in a most satisfactory manner.

The Congregational Church will entertain company next Tuesday and Wednesday, when the Sonoma Association of Churches and Ministers will meet here. The Association includes the Congregational Churches of Sonoma county and their pastors. These are Cloverdale, Rev. H. E. Banham; Glen Ellen and Kenwood, Rev. J. D. Foster; Green Valley, Rev. Wm. Rogers; Guerneville, Rev. Francis Lawson; Petaluma, Rev. Ben. F. Sargent; Santa Rosa, Rev. L. D. Rattibone; Sebastopol, Rev. Chas. C. Kirkland; Sonoma, Rev. Chas. E. Chase. Several ministers from San Francisco will also be in attendance. All are invited to attend the meetings.

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Harry Shaw returned Sunday from a visit to San Francisco.

H. Appleton Jr., took Saturday morning's train for the metropolis.

Mrs. Harry Krager of Santa Rosa was in town yesterday visiting friends.

C. Aguillon was among Sonoma's visitors to San Francisco one day this week.

Mrs. L. H. Green drove up to Kenwood last Wednesday and spent the day with friends.

Mrs. L. Modini and her daughter, Miss Mary Modini, visited relatives in Petaluma last Wednesday.

Only $1 round trip, including admission to the Mechanic's Fair, on S. F. & N. P. Railway Saturday. Every one is going.

Fred'k T. Duhring will leave for Boston, Mass., next week on important business. He will be absent several weeks.

Read the new adv. of Frank H. Atwater of Petaluma, which appears in to-day's paper. Nearly every housewife is engaged in putting up and preserving fruit at this season of the year and appreciating that fact Mr. Atwater, who is a leading merchant of that city, is offering great bargains in fruit jars, jelly glasses, etc. It would be well for the ladies of Vallejo and Sonoma townships and Bennett Valley to make a note of this.

The apartments in the Clewe building of Messrs. R. M. Sims and Vernon Goodwin was the scene of an enjoyable surprise party on last Wednesday evening. The party was given by a number of the friends of these popular young bachelors and a jolly time was had throughout the evening. The affair was a complete surprise and will long be remembered as a most happy event. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. F. Clewe, Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Davis, Miss Rienfsch, Miss Agnes Duhring, Mrs. Duhring, Miss Claire Hope and Will Clewe.

Local Brevities.

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The first rain of the season fell last Thursday afternoon. The precipitation was just sufficient to lay the dust and brighten up the foliage in the gardens.

The wind that blew up the shower of rain last Thursday threshed a large quantity of apples, pears and prunes off the trees in a number of orchards in this valley.

Mr. C. Aguillon will shortly rebuild the barn which was burned down on his place a couple of months ago. The new structure will be on about the same site occupied by the old barn.

G. M. Perry was badly bruised and had his knee cap injured by being thrown out of a hay wagon on the Gundlach place on Monday afternoon last. He was up and around, however, shortly after the accident, which will incapacitate him from work for a week or two.

First-street East will soon be thrown open to the public from Schocken's corner to the Donahue depot. The large granary and several other buildings which occupied a site on the proposed extension have been removed and G. A. Goess, who has the contract for moving the houses, says that he will finish his job next week. The work of grading, curbing and sidewalking will then be commenced and finished before the rainy season sets in. The extension will prove of great advantage to the general public.

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50 cents — Something of unusual importance. We want to impress on your mind that we are selling Mens' Working Shirts, made equal to any white shirt, with extra long sleeves, extra wide and long cut body, double yoke, double felled seams, buttons extra well sewed on and equal to any dollar shirt. Our price 50c each.

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$1.50 — Shoe Department Special Sale. We offer extra good value in Mens, Ladies, Boys and Girl's heavy or fine every-day or Dress Shoes, all styles, new Toes, extra well made and good wearers and fitters. It will pay you to try a pair of these. Special price $1.50 pr.

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CORONATION SERVICES.

Tenure of Land on Condition of Personal Duty to the Sovereign,

Florence Hayward describes Queen Victoria's coronation roll in The Century. The writer says:

After telling how the privy council was formed into a commission "to hear the petitions of the lords, great men, nobles, knights and other with regard to services, duties, attendances, offices, fees and rights connected with the ceremony of coronation," the roll states what these petitions were, or at least such of them as were granted.

One was that the Duke of Norfolk, who claimed "the right to find for the queen on her day of coronation a glove for her majesty's right hand and to support the queen's right arm on the same day as long as her majesty shall hold in her hand the royal scepter, the petitioner holding the manor of Worksop by the aforesaid services." In other words, if the Duke of Norfolk had failed to provide the glove or to support her majesty's arm at that particular time his ownership of Worksop manor would have been invalidated and the property have reverted to the crown.

Another petition was that of Barbara, Baroness Grey de Ruthyn, who, as the head of her family, claimed the right to carry the great spurs before her majesty on the day of her coronation and asked that George, Lord Byron, be appointed her deputy for the performance of that duty.

Yet another was that of Francis, twelfth earl of Huntingdon. The earldom of Huntingdon had remained suspended for many years owing to the tenth earl dying without issue. When, however, this twelfth in the line of succession succeeded in establishing, as a descendant of the second earl, his right to the peerage, he also claimed the right to carry one of the four swords of state in the coronation procession, this, as well as other duties and services connected with the ceremony, being the condition of his tenure of lands. Small wonder, then, that in announcing the omission of the procession it was important to set forth also that the nonperformance of duties connected with it should entail no forfeitures.

THE USEFUL GIRAFFE.

Employed to Get Down Balls That Had Lodged In the Roof Gutter.

"Good natured?" said the old circus man. "Why, the best in the world. When the old man's boy used to get a baseball lodged in a gutter at the eaves of the house—this was when we were off the road in winter quarters—he never used to get out at the scuttle and climb down the roof and take the risk of falling off and breaking his neck to get it. He used to go to the barn and get out the giraffe. The old 18 footer would trot along after the boy—he knew what was wanted—till they came to the house and then walk along the side looking down into the gutter as he went along until he came to the ball, and then he would pick it up and bend his head down and give it to the boy.

"One day when the youngster had thrown a ball up on the roof and had seen it roll down into the gutter he went as usual after the giraffe. When the giraffe looked along the gutter that day, there was no ball there. He took his nose out of the gutter and looked down at the boy in the yard with a large interrogation mark in each eye as much as to say:

"'Sure it didn't roll off somewhere?'

"And the boy said 'Sure,' and then the giraffe looked again, but it wasn't there, and the giraffe so reported, with a solemn shake of the head, and was driven back to the barn.

"They wondered about this, for it was the first time the giraffe had ever failed to get the ball, and they knew it must be there, but it was soon explained. A day or two later there came a big rainstorm. Instead of running a big noisy stream as usual the tin water pipe from the roof ran just a little bit of a stream, and the water that should have run off in that way overflowed the gutters and dripped in a thin sheet against the side of the house. Then they knew why the giraffe couldn't find the ball. It had rolled down the water pipe."—New York Sun.

Not to Be Bunkoed.

The president of one of the leading eastern colleges was recently journeying toward New York and found himself in the same seat with an old man whose general appearance betokened the farmer. They soon fell into conversation, and after saying that he was on his first visit to the metropolis the farmer mentioned the name of the little village up among the hills of New Hampshire from which he came and remarked that he supposed his friend had never heard of it. "Oh, yes," said the man. "I was born there." Imagine his astonishment when the country man, after staring at him several seconds, exclaimed, "See here, I've heard all about you bunko fellers, and you can't get a chance to bunko me." So saying, he grabbed his carpetbag and, marching down the aisle, took a seat on the other side of the car.—New York Times.

A Hard Swallow.

An eminent barrister, noted as much for a habit he had of sucking lozenges as for his eloquence, was once defending a murder case. He was standing with a bullet in one hand and the usual lozenge in the other, when suddenly, in the midst of a fine burst of eloquence, his face fell, and in a tone of agony he cried:

"Gentlemen, I've swallowed the bullet."—London Tit-Bits.

Safe While It Lasts.

"I haven't got any case," said the client, "but I have money."

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The Energy of a Cyclone.

The primary cause of the low barometric pressure which marks the storm center and establishes the cyclone is expansion of the air through excess of temperature. The heated air, rising in to cold upper regions, has a portion of its vapor condensed into clouds, and now a new dynamic factor is added, for each particle of vapor, in condensing, gives up its modicum of latent heat. Each pound of vapor thus liberates, according to Professor Tyndall's estimate, enough heat to melt five pounds of cast iron, so the amount given out where large masses of cloud are forming must enormously add to the convection currents of the air, and hence to the storm developing power of the forming cyclone. It is doubted whether a storm could attain, much less continue, the terrific force of that most dreaded of winds of temperate zones, the tornado, without the aid of those great masses of condensing vapor which always accompany it in the form of stormclouds.—H. S. Williams, M. D., in Harper's Magazine.

Scent Was Strong.

Mrs. Van Dyke (as Van Dyke appears at 8 a. m.)—Where have you been?

Van Dyke—I—er—

Mrs. Van Dyke—Now, be careful what you say, William. Don't think you can throw me off the scent.—Boston Herald.

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ELIZABETH JENNY MARTI, Executrix for the Estate of Melchior Marti, deceased.

JOHN S. ENOS, Attorney for the Estate. Dated, Sonoma, May 4th, 1897.

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Notice is hereby given that the Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma will meet at the City Hall in Sonoma City, on the second Monday in August, 1897, to-wit:

August 9th, 1897,

At 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day and sit as a Board of Equalization, for the purpose of equalizing the Assessment Roll of said city, as provided in section 872 of the Municipal Government Act, and section 4 of Ordinance No. 41 of said city.

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6.18 AM	8.10 AM	San Francisco	10.25 AM	9.53 AM
3.42 PM	3.37 PM	San Rafael and intermediates	7.15 P M	7.20 PM
9.53 AM	10.25 AM	Glen Ellen	8.10 AM	6.18 AM
7.20 PM	7.15 PM	and intermediates	3.37 PM	3.42 PM
6.18 AM	8.10 AM	Novato	10.25 AM	9.53 AM
3.42 PM	3.37 PM	Petaluma Santa Rosa and intermediates	7.15 PM	7.20 PM
6.18 AM	8.10 AM	Cloverdale Healdsburg		9.53 AM
3.42 PM		Lytton and intermediates	7.15 PM	7.20 PM
6.18 AM	8.10 AM	Ukiah	7.15 PM	9.53 AM
3.42 PM		and intermediates		7.20 PM
6.18 AM	8.10 AM	Sebastopol	10.25 AM	9.53 AM
3.42 PM	3.37 PM	and intermediates	7.15 PM	7.20 PM
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